

Declaration for Patent Application

Docket Number: 2236.0180000/JUK/A-L

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **Conjugate for Gene Transfer Comprising Oligonucleotide and Hydrophilic Polymer, Polyelectrolyte Complex Micelles Formed from the Conjugate, and Methods for Preparation Thereof**, the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

☒ was filed on April 3, 2003;
as PCT International Application Number PCT/KR03/00665; and
was amended on July 25, 2005.

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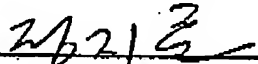
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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Applicant/Patent Owner: Jeong et al.

Application No./Patent No./Control No.: 10/551,466 Filed/Issue Date: Int'l Filing Date: April 3, 2003

Entitled: Conjugate for Gene Transfer Comprising Oligonucleotide and Hydrophilic Polymer, Polyelectrolyte Complex Micelles Formed from the Conjugate, and Methods for Preparation Thereof

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